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**Mail Stop Amendment**  
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the action mailed November 11, 2004, applicant elects the invention of Group I drawn to the embodiment of a method for monitoring the traffic flow of data and producing statistics corresponding to parameters of the traffic flow in class 709, subclass 224. The election is made without traverse.

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